--- and a Happy New Year

We wish all our patrons a happy p osperous new year, and if we can manage it we intend to have one ourselves. To that end we ask everyone that is indebted to the firm to come and settle in full by Jan. 1st, without fail. We have bills that must be met, and cannot meet them unless our own are met by our patrons.

We are busy invoicing this week, but not too busy to attend to your wants. Whatever you need, the best way to get it is to come and see your humble servants.

Webb Bros. Merc. Company

Bright's Decision Favors Wets.

Judge H. I., Bright last Tuesday admitted the sale of the liquor, comes a little matter which I disin the decision.

Many country newspapers are taking a vacation this week, issuing no paper until after new year's. That isn't the News' style; however we are compromising, after a fashion, by running only four their two boys, Carl and Harold. pages instead of the usual six. Back to regular size next week and Spaid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jathereafter indefinitely.

Thank You.

I desire to thank my many handed down his long-awaited de- friends who have so liberally patcision in the Gene Clingan case, in ronized me during the year just which the defendant was charged passing out. I assure you that I with the sale of liquor in violation appreciate your help, and solicit of the local option laws. Clingan your trade for the future. Now his counsel arguing that the local like to speak of and that is your option law was illegally carried account on the books. That is, of and therefore null On this ac- course, if you have one with me. count Judge Bright's decision has I have recently bought a building been awaited with great interest. of my own and I need every dol-His decision upheld the contention lar that is coming to me, so please of the defense, and Clingan was if you possibly can, come in and released. The order of the Car- settle your account, whether it 'be thage city council for the printing much or little. You know I do of the ballots and the councils not send duns, and this is the first failure to select the polling places time that I have ever asked in in advance were both held illegal this way for a settlement. I need the money or I would not ask for it. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Respectfully yours, H. F. PITTS.

are spending the week with Mrs. cob Frick.

THE DOINGS OF CUPID.

Taylor-Cather.

Roy Taylor of Springfield and Miss Alta Cather of Jasper were married last Sunday at the M. E. parsonage in this city, Rev. Requa officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by only a few relatives of the bride, and was followed by the departure of the newly-weds for Springfield, where Mr. Taylor had prepared a home for the reception of his bride.

The groom is a prosperous and well known business man at Springfield, where he has been engaged in the drug business for some years. His bride, one of Jasper's most charming and attractive young ladies, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cather, who live three miles west of town. The wedding was the culmination of an acquaintance formed at Springfield on the occasion of one of Miss Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spaid and Cather's visits with a sister whose home is in that city.

The NEWS joins their friends in wishing that their married life, so auspiciously begun, may fulfil all its roseate promise.

Peppers-Tallman.

When the senior class of Jasper high school convenes after the holidays to begin the second semester's work it will miss one of its most valued young lady members, Miss Ella Tallman, the young lady in question, having in the meantime taken upon herself the duties of a housewife. The lucky ybung man whose existence the above statement infers, is Mr. Cyrus Peppers of Alba and the wedding occurred last Saturday at one o'clock p. m. at the court house in Carthage, in the office of Probate Judge Hubbard, who performed the ceremony that made the happy twain one. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Peppers proceeded to Alba, where

they will make their home. The groom is quite widely known over the southwest on account of his connection with various branches of athletics. His acquaintance with the young lady who was destined to become his wife dates from a trip to Jasper with the Alba baseball team two years ago. His bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs, H. L. Tallman of this city and has lived here all her life. She is a bright girl of many charms, and all her friends wish her and her husband the best that life affords.

Former Jasper Girl Weds.

The following notice of the wedding of a former Jasper girl, Miss Dec. 15th:

Miss Laura Brown and Mr. tive bride is a daughter of Mr. and the performance. Mrs. R. L. Brown, of this city, and is attractive young lady with best known and most sought after many friends. The groom-to-be is a resident of Birmingham, Ala., is an employee of the L.& N. are not excelled by any quartet torailroad and is a young man of in- day, they are America's foremost dustry and worth.

and other southern cities on a bridal trip.

home at Birmingham, Ala.

Chas. Awick, a well known farof stock, implements and other effects on Tuesday, Jan. 10th. Sale better on the American stage. bills advertising the same are being printed at this office.

Waldorf \$2.50 shoes at Bishop's, north side.

The Chicago Male Quartet.

The fourth number of the high school lyceum course, the Chicago Laura Brown, is taken from the Male quartet and Bell Ringers, is Elizabethtown, Ky., Mirror, of scheduled for Friday night, Jan. 6th. This is considered by far the strongest number of the entire James Edgar Clough will be mar- course, and those who have no ried Saturday evening, December season tickets should hurry to se-17, by Rev. W. R. Hendricks, of cure seats, for the lyceum board Louisville, at the home of the of-confidently expect every seat to ficiating minister. The prospec- be sold before the doors open for

The Chicago quartet is one of the attractions in the country. Beside their singing, at which they exponents of that very agreeable The couple will leave shortly art, bell ringing, and present a after the ceremony for New Orleans fine program with saxophones. Newspaper comment is to the effect that their saxophone playing The happy pair will make their alone is worthy of making an entire lyceum number.

Edward Parmenter, the basso, is the best known singer of the mer of the rural districts northeast quartet. Several Jasper people of Jasper, will hold a public sale have had the fortune to hear this singer, than wnom there are few

> Mrs. J. H. Clark of Flint. Mich., arrived in Jasper last Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Roberts,

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Thanks

For the most prosperous year since the founding of this store, we extend to you, our patrons, our sincerest thanks. Our best wishes for a prosperous, happy 1911 are yours.

We trust that in the future even more than in the past, you will come to depend on this store as the source of supply for your drug needs.

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Dr. Schooler

South Side Drug Store.